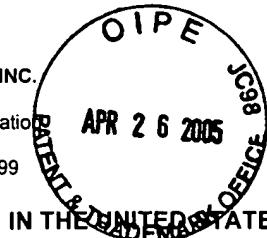


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Inventor(s): James B. McKim, Jr.

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Group Art Unit: 2829

Title: A DEVICE USING A DETECTION CIRCUIT TO DETERMINE
WHETHER AN OUTPUT CURRENT THEREOF IS SOURCE-INDUCED OR LOAD-INDUCED
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Respectfully submitted,

James B. McKim, Jr.

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Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed January 26, 2005, and having a period for response set to expire on April 26, 2005.

The following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted. Reconsideration of the claim is respectfully requested.